## **BURNING ECZEMA** QUICKLY SPREAD

Started Like Ringworm on Hand— Hand Swelled and Thon Humor Spread to Arms, Legs and Face -It was Something Terrible.

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"I have used the Cuticura Remedies for a very bad case of eczetna with complete success. About fifteen or eighteen years ago the disease developed in the shape of a large pinhead on top of my hand. It burned and itched so much that I was compelled to show it to a doctor. He pronounced it ringwern, and made very light of it. He gave me a wash and told me to apply it before going to bed and all would be over in the morning. But the next morning my hand was all swellen up and I poditiced it. When the doctor came to his office I showed him the hand and to my surprise he told me that he had nover experienced such a case in his practice and said it was well I poulticed it. After trying his different remedies the disease increased and went up my arms and finally to my thighs and legs generally and finally on my face. The burning was something terrible. After I had tried this doctor, as I thought, long enough, I went to another doctor who had the reputation of being the best in town. He told me it was a bad case of eczema and that it would take quite a while to cure it. His medicine checked the advance of the disease but no further.

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"I finally concluded to try the Cuticura Remedies. I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Cinterest and found roller in the first trial. I continued until I was completely free from the disease and I have not been troubled with another attack since. I still use the Cuticura Cintment in my family as it is one of the best remedies to heal a sore or other injury rapidly. I can freely and truthfully say that the Cuticura Hernedies are the best so far as my experience went with them and I am still recommending them, feeling sure I am not making a mistake. C. Burkhart, 236 W. Market St., Chambersburg, Pa., Sept. 19, 1908."

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The groom-to-be is a young physician of Richmond.

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The engagement is announced of Mrs.

S. Marland Hamilton, daughter of Mrs.

S. Marland Hamilton, of Baltimore, to Horace S. Whitman, also of that place.

Miss Hamilton has a number of Horace S. Whitman, also of that place.
Miss Hamilton has a number of
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rector of the church, the Rev. Herbert Scott Smith. A reception in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Raddolph Mason, on Florida Avenue, will follow immediately afterward.

The marriage is of particular interest in Richmond, where Miss Mason has been a frequent and much admired visitor. A great many Richmond people will attend the wedding, which will be quite a brilliant social event at the capital.

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Park Place Methodist Church will be the scene of a very beautiful wedding this afternoon at half-past 6 o'clock, when Miss Mary Anne Forrest will become the bride of Edward Mosely Thomas, of this city, the Rev. M. S. Colonna officiating. The church will be profusely decorated with paims and lighted candles. W. Reginald Walker will preside at the organ.

Miss Mary Johns Wooldridge will be maid of honor, and wear a gown of yellow messaline with pearl trimmings. Her flowers will be violets. Mrs. Percy Hotspur Lash, of Norfolk, sister of the bride, will act as dame of honor, and will wear a white messaline gown embroidered in pearls, and will carry a sheaf of yellow chrysanthe build sary a sheaf of yellow chrysanthe build

Miss Saunders's Cotillion.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Saunders, Jr., have issued invitations for a big cotillion to be given in the Jefferson Hotel ballroom at 9 o'clock on Friday
evening, December 3. The dance is
to be given in honor of their daughter. Miss Mays Ball Saunders, who is

ericksburg, have been spending several days in Richmond,

Mrs. William Gaston Caperton, of West Virginia, is the guest of Mrs. Clifford Randolph Caperton, 206 Howitzer Place.

Miss Rose Kellog, who has been vis-ting relatives in this city, has re-turned to her home in Newport News.

Charles Peyton, of Charlottesville, is spending a few days here.

Miss Fannie Slaughter, of Freder-icksburg, is the guest of her brother in Richmond, where she will remain for several weeks.

Stanley Muir, of this city, spent the week-end with friends in Petersburg.

Mrs. C. C. Wertenbaker, who has been visiting relatives in Richmond, has returned to her home in Char-

Mrs. James Weisiger has returned to Virginia Beach after a visit to friends and relatives in this city.

Miss Sue Seddon Wellford and her sister, Mrs. Henry Alexander White, of Columbia, S. C., are in the city, and are making their home temporarily at 200 East Franklin Street until after the marriage of Miss Wellford to Dr. Thomas Rollins Marshall, on November 23.

Mrs. Fannie C. Tucker and her son, william Crump Tucker, will retain their rooms with the Misses Weddell, 8 North Second Street, for the winter.

Mrs. Gus Perry, of Lynchburg, is the house guest of Miss Corling, 1615 West Grace Street.

Mrs. J. W. Burrow, of Newport News, is visiting friends here,

Mrs. E. Stuart Blanton, who has been visiting relatives in this city, has returned to her home in Newport

Smith—Wiseman.

STAUNTON, VA., November 16.—
Henry Smith and Miss Hazzle Wiseman, daughter of S. W. Wiseman, were quietly married this morning. Rev. W. N. Scott, D. D., of the Second Presexterion Church, officiating.

## visited as the guest of her cousin, Miss Frances Myers, Studying Art is New York. Miss Elizabeth Johnston, who spent last winter in Egypt and the spring and summer on the Continent of Europe and in England, is studying art in New York, where she will spend the winter. Miss Johnston is much missed in the younger society set of Itchmond, where she is a great favorite. **GREAT NEWS** FROM CHINA

Lady in China Asks to Have Letter Published Teiling How Cardui , Helped Her.

China, Tex .- "Publish this letter, as wish to praise Cardui to all women who suffer as I did," writes Mrs. G. J. Cole-

"I had awful pains every month, misplacement, local troubles-in fact, almost every female trouble a woman could have; but after I took one bottle of Cardui I found relief, and now I have taken eight

evening, December 3. The dance is to be given in honor of their daughter, Miss Mary Ball Saunders, who is one of the most attractive young girls to be presented to society this whiter. Miss Saunders has been traveling abroad for more than a year, and a number of delightful entertainments have been planned in her honor. Miss Francis to Wed.

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Mir. and Mrs. Nicholas J. Francis, of Petersburg, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Ethel May, to Dr. H. Aulick Burke, also of that place, the wedding to be celebrated early in January.

Miss Francis is quite a belle in Petersburg, and has a wide circle of friends in this city. Dr. Burke is a prominent young physician in Petersburg, and a number of Richmond people will attend the wedding.

The marriage of Miss Mary Wallace Mason, better known to be intimates. has almost cured me.

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The marriage of Miss Mary Wallace Mason, better known to her intimates as Miss Polly Mason, and Philip Haisey Patchin, whose engagement was recently announced, will take place Wednesday afternoon, December 29, in St. Margaret's Episcopal Cnurch. The Right Rev. C. K. Nelson, D. D., Bishop of Atlanta, an uncle of the bride, will perform the ceremony, assisted by the rector of the church, the Rev. Herbert Scott Smith. A reception in the home nerves, helps to increase nerve force and energy. When you need a tonic, take Cardui

the woman's tonic. It will help you.

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### OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

BY VIRGINIA WESTOVER.

Correspondents are requested to send communications on subjects in which they are interested and re-garding which they desire infor-mation to the Editor of the Wo-

Could you give me some advice? I in the first grade at High School of

The best thing for you to do must be decided by what you have the most talent and inclination for. Determine on this after mature reflection and qualify yourself professionally for what you are fondest of by a special course, which, if you are a clever and resourceful young woman, you will find little difficulty in obtaining. If you have blurring dizziness, neurous wish to supplement your general education, I should advise your entrance into a coaching class, with a view to taking an examination offered by several women's colleges and thus obtaining a scholarship that will lead up to a degree.

AGAIN KEULIVE.

Gives Consultation Free Remainder of This Week—Why Suffer With Your Eyesight?

If you have blurring dizziness, neuraligia, headache, spots before the eyes, winking, trembling spells, cataract, with a view to taking an examination offered by several women's colleges and thus obtaining a scholarship that will lead up to a degree.

Marshall? P. V. She was Miss Mary Willis Ambler,

daughter of State Treasurer Jacquelin

Inventor of Refrigerator.

Who was the inventor of the refrigerator? frigerator? L. H. E. Mrs. David Meade Randoiph, who, when her husband lost his office as Marshal of Virginia, on the election of Thomas Jefferson, opened a boarding house in this city on Cary Street, where the old Columbian Hotel afterward stood. As Mrs. Randoiph's customers loved comfort and cool beverages, the first refrigerator was constructed according to her plan and for her use. L. H. E.

The Actress Who Played. The play that was acted the night the Broad Street Theatre was burn-ed in 1811 was called "The Bleeding Nun." Who took that role? A. S. bottles and am almost well.

"I suffered for eight months before I began to take the great medicine which has almost cured me.

"In who took that role? A.S.

Mrs. Green, a beautiful actress whose daughter perished in the flames, while her mother escaped through a door behind the scenes.

Wrote for Messenger.

Mention some prominent women writers who were contributors to the Southern Literary Messenger when it C. B. was published here. C. B.
Mrs. Lydia H. Sigourney, Amelia B.
Weiby, Louisa J. McCord, Caroline H.
Glover, Mrs. John G. Mosby, Miss Susan Archer Tailey, Mrs. Julia M. Cabell, and Miss Anna Cora Ritchie.

Race Balls.
Will you furnish some description of the "Race Balls" given in the ballroom of the Eagle Hotel, during the spring and fall races, by the jockey clubs, during the early days of Richmond?

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Etiquette at these balls "required shorts and silks, pumps with buckles, and powdered hair." The ball was popened by one of the managers and the lady he thought proper to distinguish, with a minuet de la cour, putting the grace and elegance of the couple to a severe ordeal. Such bowling and curtseying, tiptoeing and tipningering, backing and filling, advancing and retreating, attacting and repelling; a long silken train following the lady like a sunset shadow. The gentleman holding a cocked hat under his arm or in his hand, until at last the lady permitted the gentleman at full arms-length to hand her, by the very tips of her fingers, to a seat, when with a most protound bow he retreated backward to seek one for himself. Then commenced the reel, all life and animation. Pigeon-wings fluttered and all sorts of capers were cut to the music of the fiddle and clarionet. Contra dances followed, sometimes a hornpipe, and, when the music stately of the company had retired, a jig would wind up the every those first of the fiddle and clarionet. Contra dances followed, sometimes a hornpipe, and, when the music stately of the company had retired, a jig would wind up the every fork. Philadelphia and Nortolk Railroad, last night and robbed the cash drawer of 325 in money. The tickets and express y packages were not disturbed. An entrance was gained by prying open the waiting. I room window and a window in the ticket office. There is no clue to the perpetrators of the following many forms of the county as selected of the prosecution, which was conducted by John S. Draper, Commonwealth's Attorney of Pulaski county, assisted by Allen T. Eskridge, Jr., of the local structure of the policy of the company had retried and with a showled his a fight of the county in the co



Wife of Chief Justice.

Who was the wife of Chief Justice

Of Marshall?

Wife of Chief Justice

P. V.

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Peabody—Clews.,

[Special to The Times Dispatch.]

NEW YORK, November 18—George Russell Peabody, son of Mrs. Arthur J. Peabody, and Miss Natalia Clews, daughter of Mrs. John Henry Clews, were married at 4 o'clock this afternoon in St. Thomas Episcopal Church by the Rev. Ernest M. Stires, D. D., the rector. The bride wore a white satin gown, embroidered with chiffon, with court train, and her lace vell was caught with a coronet of orange blossoms. The bridesmaids were the Misses Alice Anderson and Elia Buck, daughter of Mrs. Charles Buck, of Richmond. John A. Stewart, III, was the best man. The ushers were Cornelius von E. Mitchell, William Baylis, J. Henry Goddard and C. Douglass Green, Jr. The church was decerated with white and yellow chrysanthenums and autumn leaves. A reception for relatives and intimate friends took place at the Hotel Plaza.

Pettit-Harper. Petit—Harper.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BALTIMORE, MD.. November 18.—

Miss Ethel Harper, daughter of the late John C. Harper, of Talbot county, was married at Easton, Md., to-night to Waiter P. Petilt, of Norfolk. The ceremony was performed by Lev. Henry Davies, D. D., rector of Christ P. E. Church, Easton. E. Griffith Dodson, of Norfolk, was best man and Mrs. Nicholas Ovem, twin sister of the bride, was matron of honor. After a reception, Mr. and Mrs. Petiti left for a Northern tour. They will live at the Colonial Apartments, Norfolk.

Powers—Haractt,
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LYNCHBURG VA., November 16.—
In South Lynchburg, James Powers,
aged seventy-four, Sunday evening
wedded Mrs. Rhoda Barnett, whose age
is given at sixty, the ceremony being
performed by Rev. J. L. Nichols, of
the Methodist Protestant Church. They
will live in Campbell county.

Brooks—Greer,
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LYNCHBURG, VA. November 15.—
A marriage took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Greer in the West End. when their daughter, Miss Mary E. Greer, was married to S. A. Brooks. Rev. I. T. Jacobs. of Franklin Street Baptist Church, officiated

Turner—Spencer.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, VA., November 18.—At the New Williard Hotel in Washington to-day Miss Mabel Holt Spencer, daughter of Mrs.

C. H. Spencer, was married to Aifred E. Turner, a member of the firm of S. B. Turner & Sons, publishers in Nortolk. After a Northern trip of ton days they will take up a residence in Nortok. A number of Lynchburg persons went to Washington to witness the marriage.

IN SESSION AT WILSON.

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Meetings of the Missionary Society of the Christian Church.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WILSON, N. C., November 16.—The annual State Convention of the Christian Church convened here to-day with a session of the missionary society. Devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. J. A. Erwin, of Wilmington. Mrs. J. F. Taylor of Kinston, presided. After the devotional exercises Mrs. T. L. Willingham, of this city delivered the address of welcome, the response being made by Miss Mary Parrott, of Kinston.

Mrs. F. W. Dixon, of Hookerton, was introduced to the convention, and she delivared a historical select address on the C. W. B. M. work in North Carolina. Mrs. Dixon showed how this noble work began in the homes of a few carnest enthusiastic workers thirty-sight years ago, and how, step by step, the good work advanced. It was first recognized and helpad by the Christian Church. The C. W. B. M. work was organized in this State three years before the national C. W. B. M. Society was organized Mrs. Dixon's address was received with enthusiasm by the large number of delegates and by the entire audience. Mrs. J. A. Erwin at the conclusion of Mrs. Dixon's address sang a beautiful solo, after which reports of the district managers were received.

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Reports were made by different officers, which showed remarkable increase in the work of the C. W. B. M. The corresponding secretary and treasurer's report was as follows: Memembership, 603; special offerings, 497-21. The offerings to the general fund amounted to \$530.33; offerings to State fund, \$192.87; offerings from young people's work amounted to \$471.93; from membership, \$535.

After reports and announcements Mrs.

Action reports and announcements Mrs.

Desslo Farrar Madson, of India, made an address, which was interesting and touching and during it many eyes were filled with tears. The speaker described very vividly and pathetically home life of the women of India. At the close o this address announcements were made and that

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meeting adjourned, after prayer by Mrs. Mariah Reynolds Ford. To-day was women's day of the conven-tion. The regular essions begin to-morrow. JUMPED IN NICK OF TIME.

Passengers on Virginia and Southwestern Have Narrow Escape.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
BRISTOL. TENN., November 18.—Six
passengers, including two Bristol business men, barely escaped with their
lives when a work train collided with
an accommodation train on the Virginia and Southwestern Railway at
Bluff City last night.
Having brief warning, the passengers jumped, and a moment later the
ongine pulling the work train drove
the passenger coach through a loaded
freight car, both cars being torn to
splinters.

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(Specialing Watches, (Specialing Watches, (Specialing Watches, 16,—Willem Jackson, alias William Johnson, alias Charles Chambers, was arrested this even-

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ing by Chief Ragiand and Detective Eansa on the charge of being the thief who smashed the plate-glass window of Salem Maosha on November 3. Five of the nine watches stolen were found in the possession of Jackson, and three pawn tickets for watches were taken off him. Jackson is a Portsmouth negro, and the police are satisfied that he has done this work in several other cities throughout the State.

To Consider Reduction of Capital Stock,
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LYNCHBURG, VA., November 18.—The
stockholders of the American National Life
Insurance Company will meet here Thursday to consider a resolution recommended
by the directors to reduce the capital stock
from \$200,000 to \$100,000. If adopted the reaolution will pass \$100,000 to surplus. The
company is doing a nice business.